

WILLIMANTIC

**NORWICH BULLETIN
WILLIMANTIC OFFICE**
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What is Going On Tonight
Willimantic Rotary club (meets at 8 o'clock)
Willimantic chamber of commerce
Willimantic Women's club meets at 8:30 Main street.
St. Jean Baptiste society meets at 37 Valley street.

By a bare majority of two votes, Mayor Charles A. Gates, republican, defeated Horapline Dion, democratic candidate for mayor in the biennial city election Monday. The vote was Gates 2560, Dion 1548, the closest vote for the office of mayor ever known in the fifteen elections in this city since its incorporation.

Returns of various wards gradually built up the majority of 386 rolled up by Dion in the democratic struggle in the third ward. The first ward, which gave its returns last, gave Gates a majority of 23, which offset the lead of 21 maintained by Mr. Dion in the three wards heard from. With the mayor, the republicans elected one alderman-at-large, out of two candidates, and elected three ward aldermen out of four, giving the republicans control of the board of aldermen for two more years, four to three. All city-wide elections were won by democratic candidates by an average majority of 50 votes. The total vote cast was 3286 as shown in the vote for mayor. Albert C. Scripture, running for city clerk and treasurer on both tickets, polled 1275 votes.

Two surprises in the election were,

the defeat of William E. Webber, republican, for alderman-at-large, and Albert C. Scripture, republican, candidate for assessor. Both men in previous elections had proved big vote-getters.

The strongest vote-getter of the day was George W. Hickey, democratic candidate for alderman-at-large, who polled 1003, running about fifty votes ahead of his ticket.

Reports from democratic headquarters Monday night, following the receipt of the returns indicated that a recount would be demanded on the office of mayor.

Official in the four wards were as follows: First, C. C. Case, chairman, John Barstow, clerk, Chas. E. Macfarlane and William McIntosh. Second, O. B. Robinson, chairman, Daniel P. Dunn, clerk, N. A. Daniels and Frank P. Patten. Third, Charles E. Lovett, chairman, William B. Sweeney, clerk, J. Raymond Smith and James J. Lee. Fourth, James P. Mustard, chairman, William E. Higgins, clerk, Edmund R. Portenhouse and Walter R. Kline. The official vote follows:

	1	2	3	4	Total
Mayor—					
Charles A. Gates, r	376	727	137	426	1650
Horapline Dion, d	247	593	613	392	1445
Aldermen-at-large—					
William E. Webber, r	261	995	122	382	1570
Frederick Roy, r	289	886	122	382	1579
George W. Hickey, d	262	814	612	392	1760
Michael E. Sullivan, d	276	928	592	392	1688
City Clerk—					
Albert C. Scripture, r and d	615	1395	928	728	3276
City Treasurer—					
Albert C. Scripture, r and d	614	1408	928	728	3278
Assessor—					
Charles E. Leonard, r	274	712	137	490	1613
Thomas J. Killourey, d	232	591	310	376	1509
Auditor—					
Flornorm Normandia, r	585	712	122	382	1600
John M. Bransfield, d	259	589	495	356	1499
Wards—					
Alphonse Chismon, r	584	712	122	376	1594
Clinton T. Wood, r	572	722	124	412	1630
Alice D. Stoughton, d	237	587	602	341	1468
George Mahou, d	235	566	507	395	1503
Aldermen—					
William E. Jackson, r	251				
James H. Lynch, d	229				
Charles E. Leonard, r		721			
Alexis Calise, d		549			
Charles E. Cone, r			307		
Louis J. Flynn, d			587		
Edgar W. Jacobs, r				336	
John B. McCarthy, d				330	
Means elected.					

Ideal weather aided both parties in bringing out a vote at the biennial city election Monday and it was estimated early that the total vote would go over three hundred over the three thousand mark. The total number of voters in the city is 4441. Up to 10 o'clock the total vote cast in the four wards was 1150, an average of 70 votes an hour in each ward. At three o'clock, within one hour to go the vote had reached 3026, indicating a total vote of about 3200 for the day in the average.

Women took an active part in the election. In the opinion of several old-timers the election Monday was the quietest in their recollection of the fifteen held since the city was incorporated.

Ward headquarters for the day were as follows: Second ward—Republican men No. 21 Church street; women in office of the J. C. Lincoln company, No. 60 Church street. Democratic men, Palmer's Sign Shop, No. 67 Church street and the women in reception room of Dimeen's Photo Studio, next door south.

First ward—Republican men's office, corner of Walnut and Meadow street; women office on Walnut street, opposite head of Strong's court; democratic headquarters for both men and women in old parlors of the North House, corner of Meadow and Walnut streets.

Third ward—Republican, both men and women in the office of the Boston Grain company, 48 Jackson street; democratic men, Charles's barber shop, 55 Jackson street, women, office of the L. E. Hickey undertaking rooms.

Fourth ward—Republican men and women, home of David Lincoln South street; democratic men and women in Norman Maine's home of the same house.

The ward officials were: Second—Moderator, Frank H. Potts; official checker, Arthur T. Kelley; box tender, Edward Jones; ballot clerk, Charles H. Baker and Walter McLaughlin; both tenders, William Foran, William Wilson and Herbert L. Tift, Jr.; challengers, George Gifford and Frank M. Lincoln. The first man to cast his vote in this ward was Wade V. Webster, chief of the fire department; the first woman was Miss Eggle, owner of No. 46 Church street.

First ward—Moderator Raymond C. Connors; official checker, John C. Bowers; ballot clerk, Maurice Moran and Charles H. Pople; both tenders, Louis Tracy, James O. Bacon and Abner Sypher; challengers, Wilfred Gagnon and Dennis S. Shattuck. The first man to vote was George M. Wheeler and the first woman Mrs. Katherine Roy of No. 200 Main street.

Third ward—Moderator, James F. Brown; official checker, John G. Brown; box tender, Arthur P. McKie; ballot clerk, Antonio Geraca and Joseph Gleras; both tenders, John Shannahan and Delphus Brousseau; challengers, C. C. Smith and Michael E. Falvey. The first man and woman to cast their votes were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dion, the former the democratic candidate for mayor.

Fourth ward—Moderator, Daniel B. O'Connor; official checker, John B. Egan; box tender, Michael Shea; ballot clerk, James Moriarty and Arthur F. Roney; both tenders, Ralph Snow and Walter J. McKie; challengers, George Shepaum and E. M. Ladd. The first man and woman to cast their votes in this ward was Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of No. 110 Pleasant street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Morozza died Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Erbacher, of No. 20 Winter street. She was born in Germany and was the widow of Michael Erbacher. Surviving her are three children, Mrs. Erbacher of Willimantic, Mrs. Mary Olsen and Michael Morozza of Bridgeport. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Wenzel of New London officiating. Burial was in Willimantic cemetery, in charge of Jay M. Shepard.

Mrs. Marie M. Greene died early Monday morning at Card's Mill, Columbia. She was born in Columbia May 18, 1855, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrington Greene. She was the widow of Cyril W. Greene. Surviving her is a son, Merit C. Greene, and a daughter, Mrs. Maria E. Clark both of Columbia. There are six grandchildren.

Funeral services for Dorothy K. Allen were held afternoon from her home on Prospect street, Rev. H. S. Cready of the First Congregational church officiating. The burials were William, Walter, Harold and Russell Thompson, all cousins of the deceased. Burial was in Mansfield cemetery, in charge of Jay M. Shepard.

The death of Nelson A. Gilbert occurred Monday noon at his home on Columbia street. He was years he was an engineer on the New Haven railroad.

Robert Edward Carlson the week-old son of Robert and Catherine Savage Carlson, of No. 25 Goodrich street, died Monday morning. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon from the parents' home, with burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. The Killourey Brothers were in charge.

Miss May Lucy Young died Monday morning at the Homeopathic hospital, Boston, Mass. She leaves her mother, Mrs. Josephine Sturges; two sisters, Mrs. Cling Halsey of Dorchester, Mass., and Mrs. Rose Pillsbury of Willimantic; two brothers, George Young of Roxbury, Mass., and Gilbert Young of Dorchester, Mass.

John R. Hurdley died Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Norman Thompson, in Eastville, Me. He was in England, September 12, 1856, the son of James and Ann Rhodes Hurdley. Surviving him is a sister, Mrs. Mary Hayes; three nieces, Mrs. Little M. Bradbury and Mrs. Norman Thompson of Eastville and Gladys Hayes also a nephew, George Hayes.

The following officers were elected for the annual year by St. Joseph's Polish society at the meeting held Sunday: President, Konstantine Serey; vice president, Andrew W. Ogazalek; recording secretary, Walter Wojcik; financial secretary, Walter Dulek; treasurer, Frank Olsen; trustees, Stanley Piskur and John Wojcik; custodian of the fund, John Bogda, Andrew Kalita, John Sydzek; sick committee, John Zaklukiewicz, John Bogda and John Traskies; marshal, Anthony Latusek.

It was learned Monday morning that St. Joseph society and members of the White Eagle Polish American band have cooperated in the matter of erecting a building 50 by 60 feet on land recently purchased on the corner of Main and Grosvenor. The land purchased was 50 by 175 feet. Ground for the new structure will be broken in the spring.

Brief Notes
Work of painting the lobby at the Y. M. C. A. was begun Monday by James H. Bealy.
The continued cases booked for a hearing in police court Monday were again continued until Monday Dec. 12th.
Russell Harmon, of Union, a state motor vehicle inspector, is to be in this city every Thursday from 2 to 4 p. m. to give examinations to those seeking operators' licenses.
Captain Frank T. James of East Orange, N. J., visited in this city over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Thompson of Prospect street entertained for the week

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Mrs. H. Spalding, R. F. D. No. 1, E. says: "I always hold Doan's Kidney Pills above other kidney remedies and they have always proved valuable. When I bent or twisted my body, sharp catches cut through my back just over my kidneys that felt like sharp needles. Doan's relief was most wonderful for me and I have used them a few times since with the same good results."

C. I. Allen, stationary engineer, 695 E. Main St., says: "I was bothered with my kidneys for four months and the doctor told me they were causing the severe lameness in my back. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they helped me. When I bent over it would be quite a few minutes before I could get straightened up again. Doan's Kidney Pills continued to help me, regulating the passages of the secretions and doing away with the lameness in my back. The cure Doan's gave me has lasted."

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and their sons William Thompson of Danbury and Walter Thompson of New York. Mrs. Harry Sawin of South Iron Avenue, formerly of this city is visiting Mrs. Christopher Case of Windham street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moriarty of New York returned home after visiting local relatives.

The local Y boys defeated the Lebanon boys 46 to 26 in the contest held in this city Saturday night.

The committee in charge of arrangements for ladies' night at the chamber of commerce reports everything ready for the banner event of the year.

Miss Jean Balion of Pleasant street has returned home after visiting for some time in New York.

Mrs. E. J. Tryon of Spring street entertained a number of young people Monday afternoon in observance of the seventh birthday of her daughter, Juliet.

The Christmas sale held Saturday at the Methodist church netted \$250.

COLCHESTER
At the Congregational church Sunday morning at 10:45, the pastor, Rev. W. O. Berckman preached. At 6:30 p. m. the Christian Endeavor meeting was led by J. N. Daugherty and the subject, Thy Will Be Done. Matt. 6, 9-15.

Wednesday evening in the chapel Mrs. Charles E. Daniels is to give the sixth in her course of talks on "The Bible's Appeal for Personal Evangelism. Thursday evening in the chapel the mid-week prayer meeting theme will be Paying Our Debts: The Principle of Stewardship. Friday afternoon and evening the Sabbath School Society is to meet in the chapel to sew.

S. H. Kellogg of New Britain was the guest of friends in town over Sunday.

Daniel O'Brien was visiting in Plainville over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Chapman motored to New London Saturday.

V. J. Camarota was at his home in South Norwalk over Sunday.

A large number of touring cars passed through the village Sunday over the new state road. 25 cars passed a point on South Main street in 30 minutes.

William F. Elwood, 65, former baggage-master on the branch railroad, died at the Hartford hospital Friday evening about 7 o'clock. He is survived by his wife.

He was baggage-master on the branch railroad 21 years and was very popular with the traveling public.

Several local men went to New York Sunday evening to attend the Elks' Lodge of Sorrow.

E. A. Mitchell and party of Salem were callers here Sunday.

Postoffice Inspector George Smith was with his family on Windham avenue over Sunday.

STONINGTON
When Ntha council, No. 43, K. of C., held a public whist at the Elks' lodge Friday evening, the first prizes were awarded Miss Dorothy Shuckler and Paul Schlops. The consolation awards went to Mary Clay and John Roderick.

John Deane and family are to move from Summit street to D'Ang street.

People of Stonington are watching the Wayland case with a great degree of interest, not only because Charles N. Wayland has started to benefit them to great a degree but because of the turn events have taken. Naturally the people are going to take sides in the matter. William P. Bindloss went to New York Monday to attend the adjourned hearing on Mr. Wayland's case.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Jacobson and daughter Louise of Providence are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Joseph.

Mrs. Prudence Hinkley and Miss Marjorie Gledhill are guests at Mount Lake farm, Londonderry.

Mrs. Richard Herman and son William have returned from Rehoboth, Del., where they were guests of relatives.

Mrs. W. H. Bliss of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., is the guest of relatives here.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Second Congregational church is to hold a Bazaar of Days. The members in charge are Mrs. T. W. Hyde, Mrs. Joseph H. Hammond, Miss Louise Trumbull, Miss Maria H. Trumbull, Miss Mary E. Shalby, Miss Barbara Miller, Mrs. Nellie Trumbull.

Two suits against Constance Atwood of Stonington because of an automobile accident on June 4, 1918, near the Rhode place on the road to Myra, have been withdrawn without costs from the superior court for New London county. Marion Edmond of Westerly sued for \$1500 damages and Sarah Bidwell of Westerly for \$3000. They alleged that they were injured when riding in the Edmond automobile because the Atwood machine cut in ahead and forced the Edmond car into the ditch.

Gus Tibebu has put his boat in winter quarters at Ledyard's Island.

The home Nellie Ballou of New York

has discharged her cargo of coal at the wharf on Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Lee of Londale, R. I., are visiting relatives here.

COLUMBIA
Arthur B. Conrad, recently appointed school supervisor in this district, was in town Monday visiting the schools. He stated that 12 of the 24 pupils in Hop River village were ill with measles. In consultation with members of the school board it was decided to close the school for the week.

Mrs. Indore Wolfson and her daughter Pearl returned last week from New York, where they have been during the past two weeks visiting relatives.

So far as it has been reported Columbia has entirely escaped any damage to the telephone wires and poles so general throughout New England during the recent storms.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. North of Hartford, who are occupying for the winter the cottage belonging to Miss Amelia Fuller on the Green, spent a few days last week with friends in New Haven.

Mrs. F. Raymond Hunt, who with her children has been visiting during the Thanksgiving season at the home of her father-in-law, Fred A. Hunt, has gone with her son Francis to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Holmes, in New London. Her son Frederick is attending school on Columbia Green.

Dr. William L. Higgins, first selectman of the town of Coventry, and Louis W. Daniels, clerk and treasurer of the town, were in Columbia Friday last. They called on Hubert P. Collins, town clerk and treasurer of Columbia, for the purpose of inspecting the new system adopted by the town during the past year in the payment of bills, being a combination order of the selectmen and check of the treasurer. They also inspected the system of bookkeeping with a view of adopting any new and up-to-date methods.

The bridge being built on the Pine street road near the Green is nearly finished. Thursday the cement for the roadway of the bridge was placed in the form prepared for it, iron bars having first been inserted in the frame, upon which another set was laid at right angles, making seven-inch squares, securely fastened by wire, giving strength enough to the bridge to hold 30 tons. It will be two weeks at least before the bridge can be used for traffic.

Thursday, the 1st, Clayton Hunt began making an extra trip to Willimantic to bring home the pupils from the high school when it is dismissed. Since the beginning of the school year those who come to the Center have been obliged to wait in Willimantic until 5 p. m., the time when Mr. Hunt leaves the postoffice with the mail. They now arrive at the Green at 3:15 p. m.

A resident of Columbia has received a circular from the headquarters in Washington of the association against the prohibition amendment asking the co-operation and financial support of the recipient

for the repeal of the "tyrannical Volstead act, and for a decent regard for personal liberty in any legislation which takes its place, and then to remove the prohibition amendment from the constitution." The letter neglected to refer, however, to the tyranny, restriction of personal liberty and misery caused helpless women and children by the unrestricted use and abuse of intoxicating liquors.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton E. Hunt and children, motored to Providence Saturday spending Sunday with Mrs. Hunt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Goff.

Mrs. Abbott Little has closed her home on Woodward Hill for the season and

left Sunday for Hartford, where she expects to reside during the winter.

Rev. T. Newton Owen preached on Sunday morning from St. John 12: 23, "The people that heard it said that it thundered, and others said an angel spake to him." He said the sound did not strike all the people the same, and that things appear differently to persons much depending on our mood to understand the world about us.

Warehouse Point.—Friday marked the opening to vehicular traffic of the new \$20,000 county bridge between Windsor Locks and Warehouse Point.

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